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In re Patent Application of	)	<b>MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION</b>
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Application No.: Unassigned	)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Filed: March 17, 2004	)	Examiner: Unassigned
For: THIN FILM ELECTRODE FOR	)	Confirmation No.: Unassigned
FORMING OHMIC CONTACT IN	)	
LIGHT EMITTING DIODES AND	)	
LASER DIODES USING NICKEL-	)	
BASED SOLID SOLUTION FOR	)	
MANUFACTURING HIGH	)	
PERFORMANCE GALLIUM NITRIDE-	)	
BASED OPTICAL DEVICES, AND	)	
METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE	)	
SAME	)	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned patent application, kindly amend the application as follows.